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Response Due Date
11/23/2012

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00162339

REFERENCE: MARCH MONTHLY REPORT (02/01/2012 - 02/29/2012)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action.** Additional information is needed for the following 3 item(s):

1. The totals listed on Line(s) 11(c), 11(d) and 12, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page(s) appear to be incorrect. Column B figures for the Summary and Detailed Summary Pages should equal the sum of the Column B figures on your previous report and the Column A figures on this report. Please file an amendment to your report to correct the Column B discrepancies for this report and all subsequent report(s) which may be affected by this correction. Note that Column B should reflect only the Calendar Year-to-Date totals. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
2. Schedule A supporting Line 15 of your report discloses an apparent void of a disbursement originally made by your committee. Please be advised that if your committee voided a check originally written from your account, including voiding checks that were not cashed or cleared by a bank, this should be disclosed as a negative entry on the original line of disbursement. Line 15 should only be used if your committee received a refund for disbursement originally made by your committee. This method of reporting would clarify for the public record the total amount of receipts/disbursements and more accurately disclose the cash-on-hand amount. Please amend your report(s) to properly disclose this activity or provide clarifying information.
3. Schedule B of your report (see attached) discloses one or more contributions which appear to exceed the limits set forth in the Act. 2 U.S.C. §441a(a)